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that has harmed no one. One of these ways has apparently been found by the magnates of the Virginia League, who, at yesterday's meeting, voted to adopt an "equitable schedule" for the approaching playing season. This "equitable schedule" means that Richmond is not to have the usual weekend series, with the unfailing result that fans throughout the circuit may now await patiently the time when the organization will go smash.

It would be as advisable to pull out the corner-stone from any one of the big structures throughout the country, and expect it to stand, as to keep the week-end series out of Richmond and hope that the league can survive. It just can't be did. If ever there was a real effort to kill the goose that has been laying the goiden eggs, this is an instance. Richmond, with nearly half the population of the circuit; Richmond, that pays one-Of course, there are a lot of ways to smash a perfectly good little league

It can't possibly hurt Richmond, and the magnates—this by no way of boasting—had better watch sharply that once the smash comes the International or the Tri-State League doesn't grab this very fertile territory. With baseball in its present chaotic condition; with fights both internal and external, a nearly virgin territory such as Richmond is, so far as class AA or class B baseball is concerned, would come in mighty handy.

Some of the magnates, as in the case of Dr. Leigh, patron of the motion to adopt an "equitable schedule," hold that they would make money at home, because they get the grandstand receipts and do not have to pay the hotel bills of the players when they are away from home. These magnates, however, fail to take into consideration the fact that when there is nothing coming in a saving in expenses doesn't help matters. Petersburg nor Roanoke nor Portsmouth nor Newport News can live under such a schedule as that proposed. The only other city in the league with a chance to exist is Norfolk, and it would be hard scuffling down there.

We have no particular interest in the matter, save that it looks a pity to see a league that is just recovering from one of the worst battles in baseball deliberately set about to wreck itself through foolbardiness. Elsewhere we have cited facts and figures. There is no getting away from that kind of argument. All the yelling that "we want thus and so," or that "Richmond is getting all the best of it," or similar cries, amount to noth-

Baseball is like any other amusement or luxury-there are only a certain percentage of people in any community, regardless of the class of attraction offered, who have the time, the money and the inclination—and all three elements are necessary—to purchase it. The larger the city or town the greater the number, though not always proportionately so, we freely admit. And we likewise admit that the better the attraction offered the more people there will be who will find all of the three elements needed. However, as a general proposition, our first statement stands. So that it resolves itself, as we have said more than once, into arranging a schedule so that the maximum number of people at the lowest cost to the club owners can be drawn to see the games played. The weekend series in Richmond accomplish this in large degree.

However, it is no funeral of ours. Any number of fans in Richmond would gladly see the Virginia League fail in the belief that then, and only then, would Richmond get into faster company. The magnates are trying to bring it about; maybe they will succeed. Which is about our last word on the "equitable" proposition.

Except that we will attend the next meeting on Saturday the 21st with gusto. (There is such a word.)

And except that we will listen to Dr. Leigh and Friend Wilson with rapt attention. (We have almost learned those speeches. One more sitting should accomplish it.)

And except that, when we wrote that speech for Billy Horwitz, we had no idea, no idea a tall, that he was an orator, or we would have writ

Neither did we know that Harry Mathews-Matty Mathews, says his letterhead-was such a handsome chap. Yes, he was in our midst.

At that it was a good old sort of a meeting.

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Summary: Field goals—Pendleton
(2), Carrington, Bryan, Reynolds, Milliken, Sheffey (2), Compton (3), Walker. Goals from fouls—Milliken (10),
Carrington (7). Time—twenty-minute
haives. Substitutions—Oast for Richarken. Before Mr. Maides of the

road work.

Manager Frank Chance will leave
Los Angeles February 26, going direct
to the training camp at Houston, Texas,
where all the players have been ordered
to report not later than March 1.

Races -:-

Juarez Results.

First race—three and one-half furlongs—Elue Racer, 115 (Ford), 5 to 2,
2 to 5, first; Supremacy, 120 (Troxler),
5 to 20, out, second; Lady Capricious,
115 (Taylor), 4 to 1, even and out, third.
Time, :40. Daisy Stevens, Dr. Gatlin,
Serf Savin, also ran.

Second race—mile and one-sixteenth—Uncle Ben, 112 (Van Deusen),
6 to 5, 4 to 5, 2 to 5, first; Hardy, 112
(Troxler), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, even, second;
Florence Birch, 105 (Collins), 10 to 1,
4 to 1, 2 to 1, third. Time, 1:47 4-5.
Rose O'Neil, Philistina, Rake, Startler,
Miletus, Ursula, Great Jubilee, also ran.

Third race—one mile—Frieze, 105
(Stevens), 12 to 1, 4 to 5, 7 to 5, first;
Tom Murphy, 107 (Feeny), 8 to 5, 3
to 5, 1 to 3, second; Downland, 110
(O'Brien), 15 to 1, 6 to 1, 3 to 1, third.
Time, 1:11. Lenshen's Pride, Mystle
Boy, Angle D., Patrick F., Marle Coghill, Regina, Avri, McAlan, also ran.

Fourth race—Marzaullio handleap,
six furlongs—Milton Roblee, 115
(O'Brien), 11 to ', 11 to 20, out, first;
Florin, 108 (Ford), 4 to 1, 3 to 5, out,
second; Little Will, 100 (Taylor), even,
out, third, Time, 1:13 2-5. Manganese,
also ran.

Fifth race—six furlongs—Transpar-

soline, six furlouga—point, 112 (clienty), soline, six furlouga—point, 112 (clienty), 16 to 1, 2 to 1, 2 to 1, second; Castara, 59 (8myth), 8 to 1, second; Castara, 59 (8myth), 8 to 1, so 1, so 5, third. Then, 117. Villey, 12 to 1, so 1, so

Duncan Loses to Herd.

Nice, February 7.—In a seventy-two-hole exhibition match, which ended to-day, Alexander Herd, the former British open golf champion, defeated George Duncan, another English player, who holds the French championship, by 4 up and 3 to play.

one point. Aylen was distinctly below the other contestants in form, and was beaten in all of his bouts decisively. Hans, conceded to be one of the best of the intercollegiate fencers, added to his laurels to-day by his fine work, and is a contestant for highest individual honors. Glenon is propobly the sechonors. Glennon is probably the second best man on the Navy team, while Peck, a new-comer on the mat, won his only bout to-day, and showed some

# halves. Substitutions—Oast for Richardson. Referee—Mr. Maiden, of the University of Virginia.

New York, February 7.—Announcement of the spring training plans of the New York American League club to-day was made here. The advance guard will leave on February 12, when Coach Daly and Pitchers Keating and McHale will leave for St. Louis, where they will be joined by Caldwell, Rose, Criss and Schulz, all pitchers. The party will proceed to hot Springs, Ark. Chance will be joined by Catcher Reynolds, and two weeks will be devoted to baths and road work.

Manager Frank Chance will leave

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Palm Beach, Fla., February 7.—By winning the Lakeworth golf tournament to-day Walter J. Travis, of Garden City, repeated his victories of 1912 ball Contest Between Two

At that it was a good old sort of a meeting.

Not a trade or swap reported, excepting that Dr. McCrary reported to Billy Horwitz and Billy Horwitz reported to Harry Mathews that Daw Welcher could be bought for \$1.00 from President Elliotit, of Roanoice, at which though the bought President Elliotit, of Roanoice, at which though the seasen that the hounds which though the bought for \$1.00 from President Elliotit, of Roanoice, at which Harry Mathews got real peeved a Hilly Horwitz.

All of which was settled by a' taxicab to catch the 5 o'clock train back'' home."

Something to the Federal League after all. Sporting Life finds it worth an entire section in the current issue of that friend of the organization.

What's making them awfly mad, raging and tearing, is that Preside used to do.

Charleston Results,

First race—All—Anno, 112 (Grose), 112 (Taylot), 6 to 1, 2 to 1, 10 to 1, 2 to

WRESTLING MEET TO LEHIGH.

Pennsylvanias Lead New York Into Camp. Pendleton Star of Bouts. Pendleton Star of Bouts.

South Bethlehem, Pa., February 7.—Lehigh won an exciting wrestling meet with Columbia University to-day is to 15. Analyzing the points, Lehigh won on two falls and two decisions, while Columbia had three falls. The star of the meet was Pendleton, of Columbia. He wrestled in the 175-pound and heavyweight classes, winning both. The 145-pound event was perhaps the best of the meet. It was between Swan, of Columbia, and Woefal, of Lehigh, and went into an extra period, Swan winning with a har and body hold in two minutes.

TECHS BEST GUILFORD AGAIN.

V. P. L. Finds Little Trouble Defeating Visi-tors From North Carolina in Basketball. Blacksburg, Va., February 7.—V. P. I. won the second game from Guilford College here to-day by a score of 22 to 11. In spite of the uneven score the game was fast, and Powell was the star for the Techs.

Fork Union Academy Swamped.
Charlottesville, Va., February 7.—The Jefferson School basketball team swamped the Fork Union Academy five here te-night & to 15. The visitors failed to press the Jeffersonians at any time, and threw but four field goals to the latter's thirty-one. The Jefferson Junior five defeated the city High School five 27 to 14.

Three Sign With Minneapolis.

Minneapolis, Minn., February 7.—Three new members of the Minneapolis, American Association team, have just been signed for the 1914 season, according to President M. E. Cantillon. The new men are G. H. Flagg, last season a catcher on the Kansas City Federal League Club; Manes, first baseman with the Middleboro (Ky.) team, of the Appalachian League, and Woldring, a pitcher, released late in 1913 by the Chicago Americans.

### ARRIVE IN NEW YORK

F. W. Vanderbilt and Party Finish Interrupted Vachting Trip.

New York, February 7.—Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Vanderbilt and party, including the Duke and Duchess of Manchester, reached New York to-day on the United Fruit Company liner Almirante from Colon and Kingston, finishing a trip necessitated by the grounding of the Vanderbilt yacht Warrior, of the coast of Colombia.

According to last reports the yacht was still stranded, and all but ten of the crew were taken off. A special tug met the Vanderbilt party at quarantine.

Suit to Step Show.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Washington, February 7.—The District Supreme Court to-day was asked to prevent further production of "The Beauty Shop," a musical comedy, in which Raymond Hitcheck is starring here. An injunction was asked on behalf of Philander C. Johnson, a dramatic critic, who alleges plagiarism.

Warning Against "Quacks,"
New York, February 7.—Warning against "quacks," who might seek to take advantage of the popular interest aroused by recent experiments with radium, to-day was sounded by the city department of health.

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The weekly hunt of the Deep Run Hunt was a field greated the Mr. H. The hounds were first cast east of the church, and it was the fastest pace of Carnet, the first of the properties of the first of the properties of the first of the

St. John's Five Loses.

Annapolis, Md., February 7.—The Naval Academy busketball team won from St. John's, of Brooklyn, here to-day by 15 to 12. Overesch of the Navy, featured for the guards, while Jollion was by far the best best of every round, and had Beynon's eyes player for the visitors.

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